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#### All Wheat Stocks Stored in Northwest Region up 10 Percent from June 1, 2018

**All wheat** stored in all positions on June 1, 2019 totaled 28.6 million bushels in Idaho, up from 10.1 million bushels a year ago. Offfarm stocks were up 20 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 250 percent compared to the previous year. In Oregon, wheat stored in all positions totaled 10.6 million bushels, down from 17.0 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 41 percent, while on-farm stocks were unchanged from previous year. In Washington, wheat stored in all positions totaled 48.2 million bushels, up from 44.1 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 9 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 20 percent compared to the previous year. Nationally, wheat stored in all positions totaled 1.07 billion bushels, down from 1.10 billion bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 11 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 58 percent compared to the previous year.

**Barley** stocks in all positions on June 1, 2019 totaled 27.5 million bushels in Idaho, up from 22.7 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 23 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 17 percent compared to the previous year. Oregon on-farm stocks were 160,000 bushels, down 11 percent compared to the previous year. In Washington, barley stored in all positions totaled 2.92 million bushels. Off-farm stocks were 2.67 million bushels, while on-farm stocks were up 189 percent compared to the previous year. Nationally, barley stored in all positions totaled 86.6 million bushels, down from 94.5 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 6 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 13 percent compared to the previous year.

**Oats** stored in off-farm locations on June 1, 2019 totaled 70,000 bushels in Idaho, down from 78,000 bushels a year ago. In Oregon, oats stored in off-farm locations totaled 148,000 bushels, down from 343,000 bushels a year ago. In Washington, oats stored in off-farm locations totaled 37,000 bushels, down from 43,000 bushels the previous year. Nationally, oats stored in all positions totaled 37.0 million bushels, down from 41.0 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 11 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 8 percent compared to the previous year.

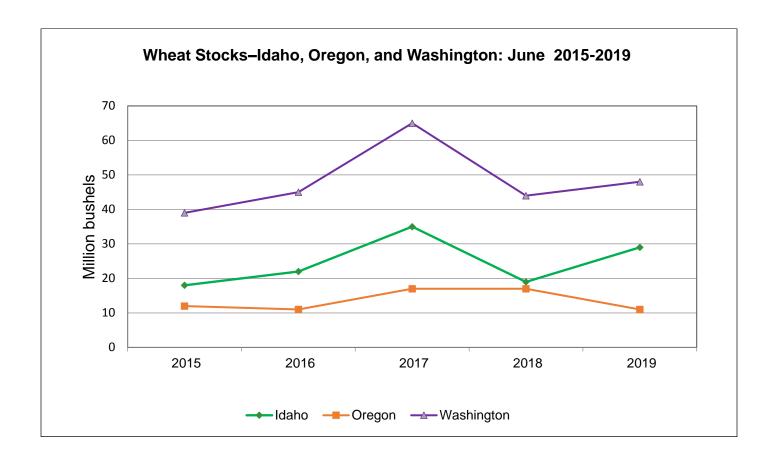
**Corn** stored in off-farm locations on June 1, 2019 totaled 4.32 million bushels in Idaho, down from 4.41 million bushels a year ago. In Washington, corn stored in off-farm locations totaled 7.67 million bushels, up from 6.82 million bushels a year ago. Nationally, corn stored in all positions totaled 5.20 billion bushels, down from 5.30 billion bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 12 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 7 percent compared to the previous year.

## Grain Stocks by Position — Idaho, Oregon, Washington, and United States: June 1, 2018, March 1, 2019 and June 1, 2019

	Idaho			Oregon		
Date	On farms	Off farms 1	Total all positions	On farms	Off farms <sup>1</sup>	Total all positions
	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
All Wheat June 1, 2018 March 1, 2019 June 1, 2019	2,800	15,725	18,525	1,200	15,819	17,019
	21,000	27,908	48,908	5,000	19,218	24,218
	9,800	18,833	28,633	1,200	9,401	10,601
Barley June 1, 2018 March 1, 2019 June 1, 2019	5,200	17,471	22,671	180	230	410
	12,500	22,553	35,053	230	532	762
	6,100	21,448	27,548	160	(D)	(D)
Oats June 1, 2018 March 1, 2019 June 1, 2019	(D)	78	(D)	(D)	343	(D)
	(D)	100	(D)	(D)	309	(D)
	(D)	70	(D)	(D)	148	(D)
Corn June 1, 2018 March 1, 2019 June 1, 2019	(D)	4,412	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	(D)	8,743	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	(D)	4,320	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	Washington			United States		
	On farms	Off farms <sup>1</sup>	Total all positions	On farms	Off farms 1	Total all positions
	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
All Wheat June 1, 2018 March 1, 2019 June 1, 2019	1,500	42,568	44,068	130,475	968,414	1,098,889
	5,800	86,498	92,298	367,870	1,225,201	1,593,071
	1,800	46,421	48,221	206,545	865,460	1,072,005
Barley June 1, 2018 March 1, 2019 June 1, 2019	90	(D)	(D)	26,420	68,061	94,481
	380	3,172	3,552	46,180	75,216	121,396
	260	2,663	2,923	22,870	63,709	86,579
Oats June 1, 2018  March 1, 2019  June 1, 2019	(D)	43	(D)	11,410	29,606	41,016
	(D)	62	(D)	18,050	32,232	50,282
	(D)	37	(D)	10,500	26,428	36,928
Corn June 1, 2018 March 1, 2019 June 1, 2019	(D)	6,818	(D)	2,750,100	2,554,704	5,304,804
	(D)	11,261	(D)	5,131,000	3,481,715	8,612,715
	(D)	7,660	(D)	2,949,600	2,252,728	5,202,328

<sup>(</sup>D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

<sup>1</sup> Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, and processors.



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